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|                | PCT NATIONAL PHASE PATENT APPLICATION                                                                                                                      |
| CLIENT         | : UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE COLOMBIA                                                                                                                         |
| OUR REFERENCE  | : USA-06248-841-003-6                                                                                                                                      |
| YOUR REFERENCE | : 10/584,446                                                                                                                                               |
| PATENT PCT     | : BIOPOLYMER BASED ON LACTOCOCCUS LACTIS NRRL B-30656, PROCESS FOR CULTURING LACTOCOCCUS LACTIS NRRL B-30656, AND THE PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE BIOPOLYMER |
| CLASS (ES)     | : A23L 1/054                                                                                                                                               |
| APPLICATION    | : 10/584,446 OF 22-JUNE-2006                                                                                                                               |
| COUNTRY        | : U. S. A.                                                                                                                                                 |

Dear Sirs:

1. We refer to our telephone conversation dated today between Mr. Thane UNDERDAHL (USPTO), Ms. Juliana MONCALEANO (CAVELIER ABOGADOS) Mr. Jose Roberto HERRERA (CAVELIER ABOGADOS).

2. As for said conversation, we have taken due note of the following:

2.1. Mr. Thane UNDERDAHL confirmed us that he, as examiner for the above-mentioned patent application, performed the first official action.

2.2. In said official action, part (A) has been included by error.

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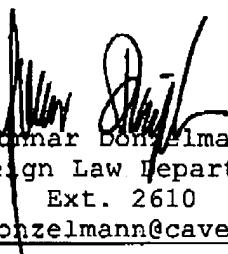
2.3. Mr. Thane UNDERDAHL instructed the attorneys of CAVELIER ABOGADOS to require the USPTO to remove PART A from the election restriction requirement when responding said office action.

3. We would appreciate if you could acknowledge receipt of this fax by sending us an E-mail to the following address:  
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Thank you for your kind cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

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